

SHERMAN LAW NOT TO BE AMENDED BY RULING, SAYS LEVY

New York Representative Finds Standard Decision Is Generally Acceptable.

HAS DEMONSTRATED ITS PUNITIVE POWER

Complaint That Liberties Have Been Betrayed Denounced as Unreasonable.

"There is going to be no amendment of the Sherman law. Induced by the decision of the Standard Oil case," declared Representative Jefferson M. Levy, of New York, with a good deal of vigor today.

"I have talked with leaders of the House, on both sides, and with a great many of the rank and file, and feel fully justified in saying that the decision of the Supreme Court meets very general approbation. True, there are extremists who voice suspicion that the Supreme Court has destroyed the most important part of the law; but that does not represent the sentiment of the great majority.

"It seems to me that the press has not fairly presented to the country the real attitude of Congress toward this question of the future of the law, in view of this decision. I am convinced that the business interests of the country, and the vast majority of serious-minded students of these problems, are highly pleased first, that the long-delayed decision is rendered and the uncertainty at an end; and second, that the Supreme Court has laid down the rule that has been prescribed in this decision.

"Unreasonable" Qualification.

"Just about a week before the decision of this case, I introduced a bill which presented my idea of what the American people desired. It proposed to write the word 'unreasonable' into the statute.

"If passed, this amendment would place in the power of the courts to determine, in each specific case, what combination would be reasonable or unreasonable in the particular case viewed in the light of the circumstances surrounding it, the nature and effect upon the public of the combination and the inducement prompting the parties to enter it.

"The construction would be under the rules of the common law, which is the growth of centuries. The act, if amended as I proposed, would be regarded as an adoption of the common law in respect to combinations and restraint of trade, and as further providing remedies for the punishment of such conspiracies and would be of very great use in preventing the continuance of illegal combinations and of punishing the parties thereto.

Had Same Object in View.

"In short, I had in mind to accomplish by legislation exactly what the Supreme Court has accomplished by the construction given in the Standard Oil case. In view of the decision of the court, there is no occasion to press the bill which I introduced.

On the other hand, there are indications of considerable insistence on legislation aimed in the diametrically opposite direction—legislation to make the law provide specifically that the reasonableness or unreasonableness of any restraint of trade may not be considered, but that all restraints shall be illegal. That will be found impracticable and impossible legislation, and it will not, in the end, be passed. Any combination necessarily involves some measure of restraint, and to denounce all combinations without reference to the merits of the particular case would project all business and industrial enterprise into a condition of hopeless chaos.

Prohibition Debated By College Orators

GREENVILLE, Tex., May 19.—In view of the popular interest in the present campaign in favor of State-wide prohibition in Texas the annual contest under the auspices of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Oratorical Association, held here today attracted more than ordinary attention.

Among the colleges in the nine States represented in the contest by their winning orators were Baylor University, University of Minnesota, University of South Dakota, Des Moines College, and Kansas Wesleyan.

SUPPORT PLEDGED TO BOULEVARD PLAN

Senator Martin and Representative Carlin Heard By Alexandria Citizens on Proposed Memorial Bridge and Highway—Officers Elected.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU, ALEXANDRIA, VA., MAY 19.

Pledging their support in the two houses in Congress to secure appropriations to provide for the building of the proposed memorial bridge and boulevard to link the National Capital with Mt. Vernon, Senator Thomas S. Martin and Representative C. C. Carlin delivered addresses at the meeting of the Mt. Vernon Avenue Association, held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce last evening.

Senator Martin declared that the proposed highway was a certainty in time. Its construction had been advocated by the late Senator Hoar. "Sentiment controls the world," stated Mr. Martin. "He was right when he wanted a bridge to represent the heroism and patriotism of the nation." In referring to the project which will link the North and South together.

Representative Carlin expressed the belief that owing to the activity of the Virginia Senators in Congress that he believed that the matter was at present at nearer realization than ever before. M. B. Harlow, secretary of the association, made the statement that he had conceived the idea in 1888, and that a charter had then been secured, and a public meeting held to arouse enthusiasm. A bill was introduced in Congress calling for an appropriation of \$10,000 for preliminary surveys. He spoke in a complimentary manner of the interest and efforts on the part of Senator Martin.

The advantages of the proposed highway were expounded by Walter Page, who is in charge of the Good Roads Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture.

The meeting was presided over by William B. Smoot, of this city.

Officers for the ensuing year were

ARMY OFFICERS IN CONFLICT OVER HAY ENLISTMENT BILL

Proposal to Lengthen Term Arrays Gen. Wood Against Gen. Ainsworth.

A sharp difference of opinion has displayed itself among army officers on the Hay bill, which is now being considered by the House Committee on Military Affairs, and which provides for extending the term of enlistment from three years to five years.

Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff, the ranking active general officer in the army, is utterly opposed to the bill. On the other hand, Major General Ainsworth, adjutant general, is much in favor of it, and so are a number of other leading officers.

Generals Wood and Ainsworth have testified before the committee. The testimony of the two generals named squarely clashes, and indicates an interesting amount of feeling between them. When General Wood was before the committee, he expressed the view that no officer who was familiar with the conditions in the great armies of Europe would favor a five-year enlistment period. When General Ainsworth was before the committee he declared that no officer who had ever commanded a company would oppose the increase of the enlistment period from three years to five.

Inasmuch as General Wood began his career in the army as a medical officer, the members of the committee set up and took notice, especially when they reflected on the long-standing feud between the head of the general staff and the adjutant general.

General Wood is firmly convinced that what is needed in this country is not a lengthening of the period of enlistment, but a shortening of it to two years. Nor is he in favor of re-enlistments. But he would keep men who have served in the army on the reserve list for a period of years. Thus he would train many men and get a powerful body of trained reserves available for instant use in case of war.

Some of the militia influences of the country are averse to this idea. They think the building up of a reserve of this kind would interfere with the national guard.

General Wood told the committee that the reason for the opposition of some of the army officers to a short period of enlistment and the support of a long term, was that it was in the interest of the ease of the army officer to make the enlistment period longer, and have fewer recruits to drill into shape.

In other words, the more fully the army is composed of professional soldiers the easier life is for the officers.

selected as follows: President, President William H. Taft; first vice president, William B. Smoot; second vice president, E. E. Downham; secretary and treasurer, M. B. Harlow; executive committee, M. D. Brockett, J. R. Catton, J. M. Hill, James E. Clements, John R. McLean, R. Walton Moore, Robert S. Barrett, J. K. M. Norton, Hubert Snowden, and Charles Bendheim; board of directors, Gardner L. Bothe, J. B. Henderson, Jr., Dr. J. Tabor Johnson, C. C. Leadbeater, A. J. Wedderburn, Glenn Brown, Peter C. Haines, Thomas C. Noyes, Thomas Nelson Page, Lawrence Washington, and Robert E. Lee.

The State corporation commission yesterday issued a charter to the Rhinehart Resilient Wheel Company, Inc., of Alexandria, a corporation organized to manufacture automobile wheels, its capital being stated at \$300,000. Officers are as follows: John C. Rhinehart, president; Maurice Bready, vice president; E. L. Brice, secretary; and J. C. Rhinehart, treasurer. All of the officers reside in Washington, D. C.

According to a dispatch received from Richmond yesterday, Alexandria has been selected by the State convention of Red Men as their place of meeting in 1912. W. S. Nicklin, of Alexandria, was appointed a delegate to the great council, which meets in Cleveland, Ohio, next September.

In an interesting game of baseball yesterday afternoon, the L. P. team defeated the W. & O. team by a score of 4 to 2.

The game of baseball between Alexandria-Washington and Andrew Jackson lodges of Masons, scheduled for this afternoon, has been postponed until next week. When the teams meet last week, the score resulted in a tie, 15 to 15.

Former Assistant Attorney General Dead At Age of Seventy-five.

Funeral services for Col. Robert A. Howard, of the Department of Justice, will be held tomorrow at noon at the undertaking establishment of W. R. Spear, the Rev. Dr. Wallace Radcliffe officiating. The burial will be made in Arlington Cemetery. Colonel Howard was seventy-five years old, and had been in poor health for about a year. He died in his apartment in the Cecil yesterday morning, death being due to hardening of the arteries.

He was born at Germantown, Pa., the son of the Rev. William Howard. He was educated in Washington, D. C., and studied law with Edwin M. Stanton, Lincoln's Secretary of War. During the Administration of President James Buchanan, Mr. Howard received an appointment as district attorney for the Territory of Nebraska.

At the outbreak of the civil war, he was commissioned first lieutenant in a Nebraska regiment, being subsequently transferred to the Second Missouri Cavalry. He was detailed frequently for service on courts-martial, and served some time with General Marcy.

At the close of the war, he settled in Little Rock, Ark., where he was active in politics. He became a close political friend of Augustus Gandy, who was selected by President Cleveland as Attorney General. Attorney General Garland made Colonel Howard his assistant, and placed him in complete charge of all matters coming before the Court of Claims during the period from 1884 to 1889.

When President Harrison came into office Colonel Howard retired from the public service, and for the next few years was engaged in the practice of his profession in Washington. Later he was reappointed to the legal staff of the Department of Justice, in which service he died. He was unmarried.

Claims Victim Was the Slayer of Jesse James

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 19.—Held on the charge of murdering her husband, Albert P. Ford, president of the Merchants' Fire Dispatch Company, Carolina F. Ford, declares that the man was in reality Bob Ford, slayer of Jesse James.

A convincing statement of her beliefs has been given the city officials.

Hot Weather Bill for Municipal Ice Plant

Representative Sabath of Illinois is an opportunist. He picked out the hottest day of the season so far to introduce a bill providing for a municipal ice plant and two free public baths in the District, and now the thermometer mounts again today and booms the stock of the Sabath plan.

Mr. Sabath asks a hot weather appropriation of \$50,000 to purchase a site and erect the baths and the ice plant. The ice must be sold at a price that will yield a profit of 10 per cent, which is to be applied to the maintenance of the baths.

The two free baths are to be divided into four sections—one for white men, one for white women, one for colored men, and one for colored women.

Both institutions are to be under the jurisdiction of a commission consisting of the Engineer Commissioner of the District, the surgeon general of the army, the surgeon general of the navy, and depot quartermaster at Washington, and the commandant of the Marine Corps.

Delta Tau Delta to Father Clark Boom

Representative Clark and Representative Mann, minority leader of the House, have accepted invitations of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity to be present at the general convention of the fraternity in Chicago the last week in August. It was stated here today by a member of the fraternity, Clark and Mann are both members of the "frat." It was also stated that Clark's Presidential campaign boom will be launched at the convention.

A dollar dinner will be given by the local chapter of the Delta Tau Delta at Raucher's Saturday night. Speaker Clark, and Representatives Mann, Anthony, Borah, Cline, Cullom, Humphreys, Jacobway, Padgett, Pickett, Pepper, Prouty, and Sloan have announced their intentions to be present.

New York Wealth.

New Yorkers should feel wealthier this year than last, for their real estate is worth \$897,048,583 more than it was then, according to the assessor's figures.

Funeral Services For Robert Chilton

Funeral services for Robert S. Chilton, eighty-nine years old, a retired member of the Department of Justice, will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at the residence of his son, W. B. Chilton, 2015 I street northwest. Interment will be in Forest Glen, Md. Mr. Chilton died yesterday at his son's home from infirmities of old age.

Mr. Chilton was born in New Jersey in 1822. He served as United States consul at Clifton, Fort Erie, and Godrich, Canada.

He is survived by a wife and ten children, five daughters, and five sons, Mrs. F. C. Coleman, Mrs. Ernest F. Bird, Bertha, Mary, and Carolina Chilton, Robert F. Chilton, who is United States consul in Toronto, Canada; W. B. Chilton, Henry Percy Chilton, Thomas W. Chilton, and Carroll B. Chilton.

Mrs. Harriman and McAdoo Are Improving

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., May 19.—At St. Peter's Hospital here, it was said today that Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, wife of the banker, and William G. McAdoo, builder of the Hudson tunnel, injured yesterday when McAdoo's machine turned turtle on a sandy road between Tweed and Matineawan, was much improved. They will be able to go to their homes later in the day. Mr. McAdoo has two ribs fractured, while Mrs. Harriman is badly bruised and shaken up.

Six New Members Initiated By Eagles

Six more Washingtonians are members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles today, having been initiated last night by 200 members of Aerie No. 125. They are Walter N. Noe, John Mitchell, Martin Keane, Gilbert H. Davis, Frank M. Benerlin, and William N. Cline. Refreshments followed the initiation.

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And every style can be fitted—from 14 to 20 years. There are just about 100 of these Outfits left for tomorrow.

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Both Wool Suits and Wash Suits—and you can rely upon us that the values are truly up to our standard. Price without quality has no temptation for us. We can say "guaranteed" to you in connection with every Suit that is advertised.

Boys' Fancy Cheviot Double-Breasted Knickerbocker Suits, in neat, serviceable patterns; carefully made in every detail. Sizes 7 to 18 years. WORTH \$3.50. SPECIAL..... \$1.98

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Boys' All-Wool Blue Serge Suits; fast color; taped seams; full-cut Double-Breasted Jackets and Knickerbocker Pants. All sizes 7 to 18 years. WORTH \$5.00. SPECIAL..... \$3.98

Khaki Knickerbockers—every pair guaranteed not to rip. Full cut and all sizes. SPECIAL..... 50c

Boys' Porosknit Underwear, in Union Suits at 50c, Athletic Shirts and Drawers. Each..... 25c



Boys' Wash Sailor and Russian Blouse Suits, in Plain White or Blue, Natural Linen color—also striped effects—all trimmed in combination Eton or Sailor collars. Sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years. WORTH \$1.50. SPECIAL..... \$1.00

Boys' Wash Sailor and Russian Blouse Suits, in Plain White, Blue, Linen, Khaki and Galatea Stripes; handsomely trimmed, in contrasting shades. Sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years. WORTH \$2.50. SPECIAL..... \$1.48

Boys' Wash Sailor and Russian Blouse Suits, in Galatea Stripes—or Plain White trimmed with Red, White, Navy or Light Blue effect. Service stripe and sleeve emblems. Sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years. WORTH \$3.50. SPECIAL..... \$2.48

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